



Nontraditional Occupations for Women and Men

Note: The following list is a representation of nontraditional career opportunities for women and men. Occupations have been listed according to the 16 "Career Clusters" recognized by the United States Department of Education and developed in conjunction with the National Association of State Directors of Career and Technical Education Consortium.

For Women



Farm Worker
Forestry Technician
Groundskeeper
Heavy Equipment Mechanic
Logger
Meat Processor



Architect
Brick Mason/Stone Mason
Drafter
Building Inspector
Bulldozer Operator
Cabinet Maker
Carpenter/Millwright
Carpet Layer/Installer
Concrete and Terrazo Finisher
Crane and Tower Operator
Electrician
Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning,
and Ventilation Mechanic
House Painter
Insulation Worker
Plumber/Pipe Fitter
Roofer



Audio-Video Engineer
Broadcast Technician
Cinematographer
Movie Director
Printing Press Operator
Telephone Installer/Technician
Television Station Manager



Chief Executive Officer
Computer Maintenance Technician
Computer Programmer
Funeral Director
Office Machine Repairer



Superintendent
High School Principal



Controller



Border Inspector
Foreign Diplomatic Officer
Missile and Space Systems Officer



Biomedical Engineer
Dentist
Laser and Optical Technician

For Women (continued)



Hotel General Manager
Executive Chef
Chief Engineer
Gaming and Casino Manager
Security Director



Barber
Mortician
Religious Leader (Clergy)



PC Support Specialist
Programming Software Manager
Telecommunication Equipment Technician



Armored Car Guard
Baliff
Detective
Fire Fighter
Park Ranger
Police Officer
Prison Warden
Sheriff



Chief Executive Officer
Operations Manager
Parts Sales Worker
Warehouse Manager



Industrial Maintenance Technician
Major Appliance Repairer
Metal and Plastic Processing Machine Operator
Plant and System Operator
Quality Control Technician
Robotics Technician
Sheet Metal Worker
Welders



Aerospace Engineer
Civil Engineer
Mechanical Engineer
Meteorologist
Mining Engineer
Survey Technician



Air Traffic Controller
Aircraft Engine Mechanic
Airline Pilot
Automobile Body Technician
Automotive Technician
Diesel Technician
Furniture Mover
Garage and Service Station Attendant
Heavy Equipment Mechanic
Motorcycle Mechanic
Taxicab Driver/Chauffer
Tow Truck Operator
Truck Driver (Local and Long Haul)
Ship Captain

For Men



Accounting and Auditing Clerk
Administrative Assistant
File Clerk
Payroll and Timekeeping Clerk
Receptionist
Secretary



Child Care Assistant
Elementary Teacher
Librarian
Teacher Assistant



Bank Teller
Billing Clerk
Billing, Posting Clerk
Bookkeeper
Financial Records Processor
General Office Clerk



Librarian
Community Health Liaison



Travel Agent



Dental Assistant
Dental Hygienist
Diagnostic Medical Sonography
Dietician
Licenced Practical Nurse
Registered Nurse
Medical Records Technician
Occupational Therapy Assistant



Child Care Assistant
Cosmetologist
Hairdresser
Social Service Aide



Data Entry Operator



Court Reporter
Legal Assistant/Paralegal



Cashier
Dressmaker
Fashion Merchandiser